

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
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Philip James IONS	)	Group Art Unit: 3633
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Application No.: 10/593,062	)	Examiner: Jeanette E. Chapman
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Filed: July 6, 2007	)	Confirmation No.: 6469
	)	
For: METHOD OF BUILDING A	)	<u>VIA EFS-WEB</u>
DIRECT SMELTING PLANT	)	

**Mail Stop AMENDMENT**  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION**

In reply to the Office Action mailed February 19, 2010, the period for response having been extended to August 19, 2010, by a petition for extension of time of three months and fee payment filed herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

**Remarks** follow the amendment section of this paper.